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Letter dated 9 April 1996 from the President of the Economic and Social Council addressed to the President of the General Assembly

I have the honour to inform you that, in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 49/136 of 19 December 1994, the Economic and Social Council considered the question of public administration and development at its 3rd plenary meeting of 1996, held on 2 April 1996. It had before it the report of the Group of Experts on Public Administration and Finance on its twelfth meeting (A/50/525-E/1995/122) and the report of the Secretary-General on public administration and development (A/50/847-E/1996/7).

At that meeting, the Council decided to take note of the reports and transmit them to the General Assembly at its resumed fiftieth session for further consideration.

The text of Council decision 1995/215 reads as follows:

"1996/215. Public administration and development

"At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 2 April 1996, the Economic and Social Council decided to take note of the report of the Group of Experts on Public Administration and Finance on its twelfth meeting and of the report of the Secretary-General on public administration and development and to transmit them to the General Assembly at its resumed fiftieth session for further consideration."

May I request that you draw the attention of the Assembly to that decision.

(Signed) Jean-Marie Kacou GERVAIS

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